

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
Serial No.: 10/620,356
Sughrue Ref: Q76559

REMARKS

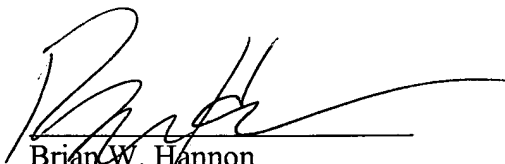
Claims 1-23 are all the claims pending in the application.

By way of this Amendment, Applicants have amended the specification, claims and abstract of the disclosure to comply with U.S. practice and address the matters raised by the Examiner.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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